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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed March 8, 2007, a reply to which is due July 8, 2007 with a request for a one-month extension of time submitted herewith. In view of the amendments and remarks presented herewith, entry of these amendments and reconsideration are respectfully requested.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the claim listing, which beings on page 2 of this submission.

**Remarks/arguments** begin on page 12 of this submission.